GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Health, Medical And Family Welfare Department - Strengthening In-Patient Services in the Government Hospitals and Medical Institutions – Enhanced Diet Charges – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (H2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.309. **Dated:02-12-2022**

Read the following: -

1. G.O.Ms.No.325, Health, Medical and Family Welfare (M1) Department, dated:01-11-2011.
2. From the Director of Health & Family Welfare, AP, Mangalagiri e-file Computer No. 1806520 Dt. 07.11.2022.

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O R D E R: -

In the reference 1st read above, for effective implementation of supply of diet to the inpatients of General category, Therapeutic Patients and duty doctors in all Government Hospitals and Medical Institutions, orders / guidelines were issued for improving and monitoring diet supplied. Besides increasing the diet charges periodically guidelines specifying the diet Schedule to be supplied to the Inpatients and duty doctors and the mechanism to be adopted for calling tenders/Applications, finalizing and awarding contracts/extension of contracts in respect of supply of diet to In-patients and duty doctors in all Govt., Hospitals were issued.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director of Medical Education, A.P., has stated that the Superintendents of Government Hospital have brought to the notice about lesser diet charges in the hospital which were fixed almost ten years back and requested for appropriate revision to maintain quality of the food being served to the patients. Accordingly, a 'DIET CHARGES COMMITTEE' was constituted under the chairpersonship of Joint Director (Medical) o/o Director of Medical Education, Vijayawada to submit any changes/modifications, if any to the G.O. 1st read above. The Committee has submitted its report recommending to enhance the existing diet rates.

3. Government after careful examination of the proposal, hereby enhance diet charges as shown below to provide quality diet to the various categories of the patients and duty doctors in all Government Hospitals and Health Centres under the control of HM & FW Department.

Sl. No.	Category	The prevailing rate per patient per day	Recommended rate per patient per day
1	All inpatients and attendants of patients.	Rs.40/-	Rs.80/-
2	Inpatients (T.B./Mental and Therapeutic Patients)	Rs.56/-	Rs.80/-
3	Duty Doctors	Rs.80/-	Rs.100/-

4. The remaining conditions/guidelines issued in the G.O. 1st read above shall continue.

5. The Director, Health and Family Welfare, Director of Medical Education, the Commissioner, A.P. Vaidya Vidhana Parishad, Director of Public Health and Family Welfare, Commissioner, AYUSH., and the District Collectors are instructed to take necessary action accordingly.

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6. This order is issued with the concurrence of Finance (FMU-HM&FW) Department vide their U.O.No.FIN01-FMU0BES(HMF2)/4/2022-FMU-HMFW (Computer No.1860193), dated:14-11-2022.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.T.KRISHNA BABU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director of Health and Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Commissioner of APVVP, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Commissioner of AYUSH, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
All District Collectors.

Copy to:
The Superintendents of all Teaching Hospitals through D.M.E., A.P., Vijayawada.
All District and Area Hospitals in the State through Commissioner, APVVP., Vijayawada.
All District Medical and Health Officers in the State through Director of Public Health & Family welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
All District Coordinators of Hospital Services through Commissioner, APVVP., Vijayawada.
The Principal Accountant General of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Pay & Accounts Officer, Vijayawada.
All District Treasury Officers in the State.
The President, Hospital Diet Canteen Suppliers Welfare Association, Vijayawada.
The PS to Spl. Chief Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister.
The OSD to the Hon'ble Minister for Medical and Health.
The Finance (FMU-HM & FW) Department.
The H.M.& F.W.(G) Department.
SF and SCs.

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